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## SPRAY THE COW.

The lowering of the milk supply in fly time is an evil from which the farmer or dairy man need suffer very little if he will spray his cows as faithfully as he does his growing plants and fruit trees.

There are many preparations suitable for these sprays, and formulas for them can be obtained from any county agent or agricultural bureau.

Stables should be kept clean and manure piles sprayed with eradicator to keep the flies from breeding. It is in addition to this, however, is sprayed frequently herself, she will repay these attentions to her comfort by as steady a flow of milk as is her habit when flies are about.

Another precaution against the fly nuisance is the screening of stables as carefully as houses. Of course it would be impossible to keep the fly pest down to as small numbers in the stable as in the house for manifest reasons, but screening, cleanliness and spraying will do much toward it.

## SEE'S WHO'S HERE!

Well, well, folks, just see who's here! No less a personage than the old friend who advises us to "do your Christmas shopping early." This time it is the New York Telegraph that waves the warning sign and bids us get busy.

And this advice is good, at that. Never during the history of the country were the stores so crowded during September as at present. The prospects are that as the season advances they will become more so.

We are headed for the biggest holiday business since Christmas began and December is just around the corner. It will be on us before we know it. So "do your Christmas shopping early" is not out of place. It might be amended, however, to read, "do your Christmas shopping a little each week."

## WHY NOT SAY SO IN WRITING?

"Is it the opinion of the Senator?" inquired Senator Kellogg of Mr. Swanson after the latter had concluded the opening address in the fight for the league covenant, "that the Monroe Doctrine is exempted from the jurisdiction of the league of nations?"

"I am satisfied that it is," replied Swanson.

"If that is the proper construction," passed Mr. Kellogg, "can there be any objection to the Senate making that statement in its ratification?"

"I do not know," observed Senator Swanson, "but that it might delay the ratification of the treaty."

And so it goes. Spokesmen for the administration insist that none of the charges that the Republicans are bringing against the league have any basis in fact; that no surrender of our sovereignty, traditions, or principles is involved; and that Congress retains its full

rights under the Constitution. Yet the moment they are asked to express clearly those views in the form of reservations there is evasion at once, and objections of all sorts are raised.

All matters of immigration, tariff, coastwise traffic, etc., Senator Swanson contended, are domestic questions and as such entirely outside of the league's jurisdiction. "They are absolutely excluded under this covenant," said he. "Well," persisted Senator Kellogg, "if that is the opinion of the Senator, then there is no objection to the Senate so stating, is there?" "If the resolution comes up," responded Mr. Swanson, "I will express my opinion on them when I see them." More evasions!

The provisions of Article 10 of the covenant bind members of the league "to preserve as against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league." Senator Swanson says that provision is "binding on the conscience and fair dealing and honesty" of the country that subscribes to it. He then goes on to say that the means by which that obligation shall be fulfilled is left to the determination of each member, although the council may give a word of advice. But let a provision be inserted in the ratification resolution reserving to the United States independent action under Article 10, and we would find Mr. Swanson up in arms in a moment.

Those who argue for the league persist in declaring that its provisions are utterly innocent as far as they concern the United States. A contrary interpretation is put upon the covenant by its opponents, who invite the Democrats to give expression to their spoken opinions by assenting to reservations that will not beyond question the independence of American sovereignty. Democrats admit the unsoundness of their own arguments by refusing to permit them to take the form of reservations to the treaty.

## Nature's Trickery.

Nature provided a surprise the other day, for workers in the Buffalo, New York, park department, who were cutting down a giant elm, and found inside the hundred year old trunk three good sized perfectly preserved timbers of cedar. The theory is that they got there when the city was a village and the elm stood in what was then the market place. The elm was young, and it is believed that the timbers were placed around the trunk to protect the tree from being nibbled by horses which the farmers hitched to it when they drove into the market place. They passed, but the tree kept on growing, and year by year the trunk surrounded them more and more until they finally disappeared. The theory seems tenable, but think of the interest that would be added by the verification of an old inhabitant, who remembered when the timbers were put in place, and himself a barefoot boy, cut his name in one of them with his first jack knife!—Christian Science Monitor.

UPON reading of a surgeon's proposal to restore youth by transplanting monkey glands into man, the man next door snorted that some folks seem to be literally endowed by nature in that commodity.

NEVERTHELESS, there are many persons who attribute good common sense to "Triste," the dog that objected to make the return transcontinental trip in Parson Maynard's airplane.

INTEREST on W. S. S. is compounded quarterly, and when this is done for any individual poverty is confirmed daily.

AN AUTOMOBILIST entered a clothing emporium and listened impatiently to the eulogism of various fabrics. "Show me some cords," he requested.

JUVENILE delinquency is increasing in Austria, a news item says. Proper use of the strap may have been suspended during the war.

KING ALBERT in waiting until he got to California to taste ice cream soda may now realize how much he missed by not beginning sooner.

CHICKENS and eggs at two or three times their present size with no great increase in cost are promised, but quantity and quality may be in contrast.

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